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Cal OES Internal Statewide Incident Briefing

2000 hours, January 17, 2021



The Tuolumne River and Half Dome, Yosemite NP, Mariposa County

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National Terrorism Advisory System



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- Next report on 01/19/21

SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

The Cal OES State Operations Center (SOC) activated 03/02/20 at 0700 hours in support of the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Medical Health Coordination Center's (MHCC) statewide response to COVID-19. Cal OES will continue to provide resource coordination for the COVID-19 event, as well as situation status reporting and advance planning across multiple areas.

Situation Overview

- **California State of Emergency Proclamation**

On 03/04/20, Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency for California, as a result of the global COVID-19 outbreak that began in December 2019, to make additional resources available, formalize emergency actions already underway across multiple state agencies and departments, and help the state prepare for broader spread of COVID-19.

- **Global Health Advisory**

On 08/06/20, in close coordination with the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Department of State lifted the Global Level 4 Health Advisory. The Global Advisory, initially put in place on 03/19/20, advised U.S. citizens to avoid all international travel due to the global impact of COVID-19. For more information visit: <https://www.state.gov/>.

- **State Executive Order N-33-20**

On 08/28/20, California introduced a blueprint for reducing COVID-19 in the state with revised criteria for loosening and tightening restrictions on activities by counties. Visit [Blueprint for a Safer Economy](#) for more information and to check the status of a county. This blueprint included a health equity metric to be used along with other metrics to determine a county's tier. The purpose of [Equity Metric](#) is to ensure California reopens its economy safely by reducing disease transmission in all communities.

Confirmed Global COVID-19 Cases – Per Worldometers COVID-19 Live Updates as of 01/17/21 at 1100 hours:

- 95,246,530 (+630,672) total confirmed cases in 219 countries and territories.
- 2,036,103 (+11,989) total deaths.

Confirmed United States COVID-19 Case – Per Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) as of 01/17/21 at 1000 hours:

- 23,653,919 (+213,145) total confirmed cases.
- 394,495 (+3,557) total deaths.

Confirmed California COVID-19 Cases - Per Medical Health Coordination Center as of 01/17/21 at 1100 hours:

- 2,942,475 (+42,229) total confirmed cases.

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

PUBLIC SAFETY POWER SHUTOFF (PSPS) SUMMARY

PSPS Status		
PG&E	SCE	SDG&E
Activating PSPS Protocols/Potential to De-energize	All PSPS Lines Re-energized	Normal Operations

Pacific Gas & Electric (PG&E)

PG&E PSPS Event 01.18.2021 Update #3

On 01/16/21 at 0616 hours PG&E notified the California State Warning Center of a potential PSPS event.

- As of [01/17/21](#) at [1527](#) hours:
 - Current PSPS Stage: Activating PSPS Protocols/Potential to De-energize
 - Weather Event Window: 01/18/21 at [2100 hours](#) to 01/20/21 at [0600 hours](#)
 - Customers Potentially Impacted: [6,096](#) customers
 - Medical Baseline Customers Potentially Impacted: [364](#) customers
 - Potentially Impacted Counties: Fresno, Kern, Madera, Mariposa, and Tulare Counties
 - Customers Currently De-Energized: 0 customers
 - Medical Baseline Customers Currently De-Energized: 0 customers
 - Counties Currently Impacted by De-energization: None

Southern California Edison (SCE)

SCE PSPS Event 01.12.21 Update # 7

On 01/12/21 at 1456 hours SCE notified the California State Warning Center of a potential PSPS event.

- As of [01/17/21](#) at [1728](#) hours:
 - Current PSPS Stage: [All PSPS Lines Re-energized](#)
 - Weather Event Window: [01/16/21](#) at [0600](#) hours to [01/20/21](#) at [0900](#) hours
 - Customers Potentially Impacted: [275,235](#) customers
 - Medical Baseline Customers Potentially Impacted: [6,394](#) customers
 - Potentially Impacted Counties: [Fresno](#), [Santa Barbara](#), [Tulare](#), Kern, Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino and Ventura Counties
 - Customers Currently De-Energized: [0](#) customers
 - Medical Baseline Customers Currently De-Energized: [0](#) customers
 - Counties Currently Impacted by De-energization: [None](#)



FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Cal OES Fire Missions

2019-FIRE-402: California National Guard (CNG) personnel assigned to fuel reduction efforts in CAL FIRE Units: Shasta/Trinity, Nevada/Yuba/Placer, San Benito/Monterey and Fresno/Kings.

- 5 CNG 20-person Hand Crews to support CAL FIRE (to include all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials).
- 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill.
- Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

Prepositioned Resources:

- None reported

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Lifeline Route Closures

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- Please see attached California Health & Human Services (CHHS) Agency / Cal OES Joint Situation Report for additional details.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current Hwy. conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current Hwy. conditions.



CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

California 911 Outages

Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

9-1-1 Outage/Remote/Community Isolation

- None reported

Service Interruptions

- None reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Damaging winds, including to fire damaged/weakened trees, are increasingly possible early in the week as very strong winds are expected to develop across the Bay Area and northern Sierra by early Monday, and across the Sierra and eastern portions of the Central Valley Monday into Tuesday

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- A strong and widespread damaging wind event is expected to impact a large portion of Southwest California between Monday night and Wednesday morning, with the peak of the wind event Tuesday into Tuesday night.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

WEATHER KEY POINTS

01/17/21 - 01/23/21

Sunday

- Gusty winds across the southern California mountains this morning will subside by afternoon

Late Sunday-Thursday

- Strong northeast winds are expected to develop Sunday night on exposed ridges of Lake and Mendocino counties, with winds increasing across much of northern California by Monday morning and continuing into Tuesday
 - **Damaging winds, including to fire damaged/weakened trees, are increasingly possible early in the week as very strong winds are expected to develop across the Bay Area and northern Sierra by early Monday, and across the Sierra and eastern portions of the Central Valley Monday into Tuesday**
 - **Along the western slope of the Sierra, this wind event looks similar to previous events that caused widespread tree damage**
 - Relative humidity will be low enough combined with the lack of recent rain to cause critical fire weather conditions
- A moderate to strong Santa Ana wind event is expected for southern California Monday, Tuesday, and possibly lingering into Wednesday, causing critical fire weather conditions for a significant portion of southern California
 - **The strongest winds are anticipated to be late Monday night and Tuesday across Los Angeles and Ventura counties with damaging wind gusts 60 to 80 mph or possibly even higher (90+ mph) in some areas**
 - Relative humidity will be low enough combined with the lack of recent rain to cause critical fire weather conditions
- Cooler conditions with light precipitation increasingly across southern California Tuesday onward, initially from San Diego to the Mojave Desert Tuesday through Thursday

Friday-Saturday

- The chance of light rain continues across southern California through the weekend, potentially into the Los Angeles metro area on Friday
- A weather system may move into the state on Friday and Saturday, potentially bringing valley rain and mountain snow to the northern half of the state
 - Confidence is low on the extent of precipitation, however the system does not look particularly impactful at this time



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

01/17/21 - 01/23/21

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Nrn Coastal (PM)	All	Southern/ Inland	Southern			
Snow						Inland	Inland
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Nrn Coastal (PM)	Southern/ Inland	Southern/ Inland	Southern			
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



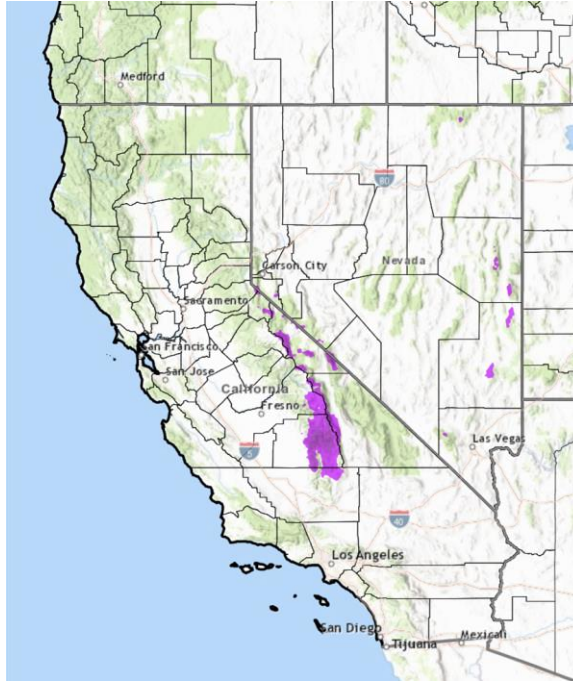
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

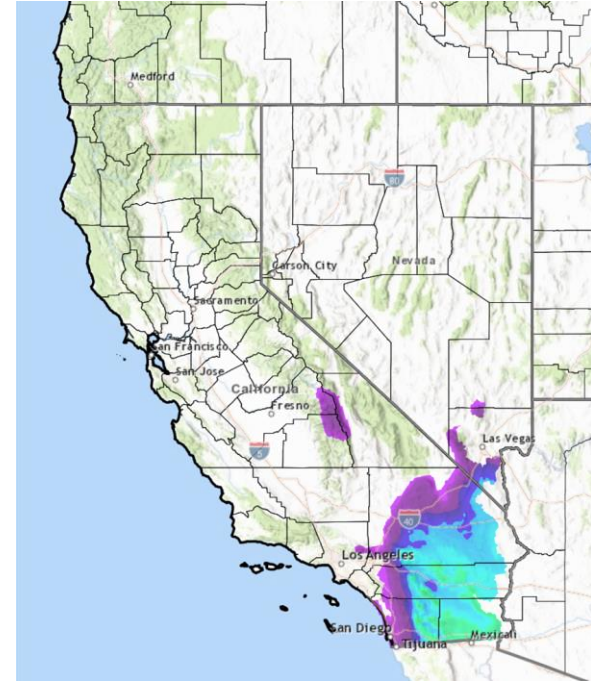
01/17/21 - 01/19/21



Sunday



Monday



Tuesday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

01/22/21 - 01/30/21

6-10 Day Outlook (January 22 – January 26)

Temperatures

- Below normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (January 24 – January 30)

Temperatures

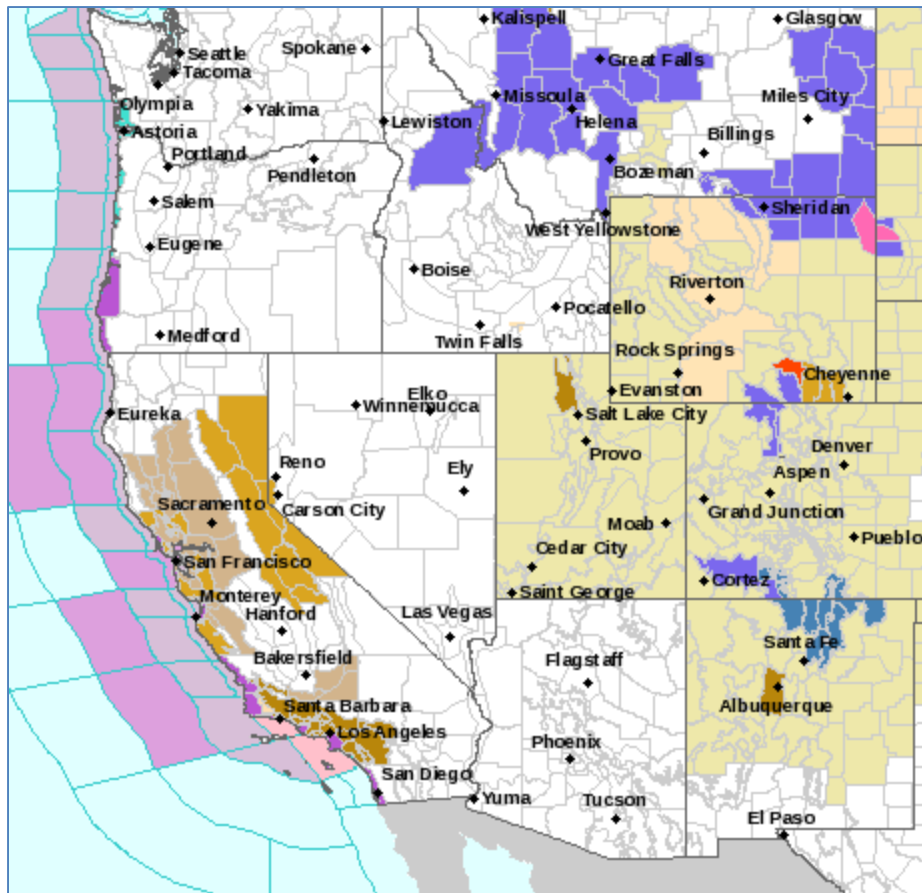
- Below normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Above normal precipitation favored statewide; above normal precipitation strongly favored across northern California



WEATHER MAP



Blizzard Warning	Orange
Winter Storm Warning	Pink
High Wind Warning	Yellow
Gale Warning	Light Purple
Winter Weather Advisory	Dark Purple
Flood Advisory	Green
High Surf Advisory	Dark Purple
Small Craft Advisory	Light Purple
Hazardous Seas Warning	Light Purple
Wind Advisory	Tan
Beach Hazards Statement	Teal
Gale Watch	Light Pink
Winter Storm Watch	Dark Blue
High Wind Watch	Brown
Fire Weather Watch	Light Orange
Special Weather Statement	Light Orange
Marine Weather Statement	Light Orange
Hazardous Weather Outlook	Light Yellow



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2021-LAW-51475, 01/15/21, 1718 hours**, CNG Tasked for civil support of CHP Capitol Protection Section, effective immediately, though 01/21/2021. Approved by CalOES Law Enforcement Branch. **MISSION ONGOING**.
- **2021-LAW-51485, 01/15/21, 1912 hours**, CHP Marin Area Office requesting use of Golden Gate Bridge repeater and CALAW4 frequency for inoperability with SFPD on 01/20/21. CalOES TCOMM accepted mission and is facilitating. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2021-LAW-51055, 01/13/21, 1045 hours**: Mendocino County Sheriff's Office called regarding a 56-year-old Missing person (MP) at-risk from his property in a remote area of Mendocino County near the City of Covelo. MP was last seen on 01/05/21, near his property. The area has been searched twice by in county resources without success. Mendocino Co SO is now requesting 15 Type 1 Ground Searchers, and 15 Type 2 Ground Searchers to continue the search Thursday, 01/14/20, at 0900 hours. LDO coordinated finding the requested resources. **Update: 1815 hours**: The following agencies have agreed to provide the requested SAR resources; Marin Co SO, Sonoma Co SO, Napa Co SO, Lake Co SO, Humboldt Co SO, and Contra Costa Co SO. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2021-LAW-50849, 01/01/21, 2030 hours**: Amador County Sheriff's Office requested HRD K9 teams to search for a missing person in an ongoing investigation. The requested resources are to meet for a 0600 briefing, 01/16/21, at the Amador County Sheriff's Office in Jackson. After the briefing search teams will caravan to the search area. LEB will coordinate obtaining the requested resources. **Update, 01/12/21, 2000 hours**: Woof and CARDA have accepted the mission. **Update, 01/15/21**: Placer Sheriff rope team assisting Amador Sheriff. **MISSION ONGOING**

Cal OES MISSION TASKINGS

Cal OES Missions

- Nothing significant to report.



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We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.